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Interview Summary

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Applicant(s)

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Examiner

Anthony Weier

Art Unit

1794

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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Date of Interview: 25 April 2008.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal (copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☐ No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: All in general.

Identification of prior art discussed: All in general.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Discussed amending of at least independent claim 1 to indicate that a second extract is left in contact with the coffee grounds wherein same is a sufficient amount to create at least a second beverage. Such amendment would appear to distinguish from the broad reading of the previous claim 1 with respect to Levinson (see Examiner's Office Action filed 12/31/07 (see page 11)). Examiner will consider.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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/Anthony Weier/
Primary Examiner, Art Unit 1794

Examiner's signature, if required

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